

PUBLIC LIBRARIES BY COUNTY, 1997

This is a different way of looking at and comparing library services in New Hampshire; as county government is traditionally not strong in this state and we have no "county library systems," we seldom compare our neighbors in this manner. It does, however, provide an interesting approach.

The column listed income includes all monies given in the annual report for the support of the library from municipal sources, trust fund income and/or fines, fees and gifts. It does NOT include "carryover" funds from previous year, and state or federal grants

In towns with multiple library outlets, the hours, income, staff and circulation are listed separately for each library, but the per capita circulation figures given are from town total divided by town population. The figure given for county population includes only one total per town with multiple outlets and the per capita figures for the county are based on that rather than total for county (not every county has a library in every community).

A county-wide comparison between your library and the others may provide you with statistical evidence to argue the need for higher support locally. Sometimes it can be more useful to have available figures from neighboring towns than town of a like population elsewhere in the state.

BELKNAP COUNTY

Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open Per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Alton	Gilman Library	3,440	\$43,206	1.67	968	\$48,084	\$13.98	21,635	6.29
Barnstead	Oscar Foss Mem Lib	3,219	\$44,741	1.77	1,508	\$43,599	\$13.54	19,094	5.93
Belmont	Belmont Public Library	6,100	\$18,238	0.82	1,275	\$27,042	\$4.43	10,145	1.66
Center Harbor	James E Nichols Mem Lib	1,035	\$39,911	1.17	1,300	\$40,202	\$38.84	10,304	9.95
Gilford	Gilford Public Library	5,945	\$153,363	4.20	2,464	\$168,415	\$28.33	53,291	8.96
Gilmanton		2,740					\$0.86		0.78
	Corner Library		\$1,289	0.50	299	\$1,144		1,233	
	Iron Works Library		\$1,269	0.22	90	\$1,204		916	
Laconia*	Laconia Public Library	17,059	\$388,326	12.30	4,168	\$474,406	\$27.81	105,150	6.16
Meredith	Meredith Public Library	5,008	\$253,007	22.80	2,340	\$238,594	\$47.64	115,088	22.98
New Hampton	Gordon-Nash Library	1,762	\$169,149	5.46	2,938	\$164,438	\$93.32	47,068	26.71
Sanbornton	Sanbornton Public Lib	2,246	\$56,899	2.09	1,716	\$59,682	\$26.57	12,881	5.73
Totals		48,554	\$1,169,398	\$53.00		\$1,266,810	\$29.53	\$396,805	9.51

*Includes branch.

Population total does not include Tilton; listed with Northfield in Merrimack County.

CARROLL COUNTY

Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Bartlett	Bartlett Public Library	2,474	\$21,203	1.42	1,806	\$20,081	\$8.12	12,941	5.23
Conway		8,432					\$31.64		10.20
	Conway Public Library*		\$215,842	6.07	2,775	\$215,738		69,527	
	North Conway Library		\$52,670	1.88	1,362	\$51,086		16,534	
Effingham	Effingham Public Library	947	No Report Received						
Freedom	Freedom Public Library	950	\$16,616	0.75	634	\$15,742	\$16.57	5,259	5.53
Jackson	Jackson Public Library	699	\$12,218	0.56	732	\$14,356	\$20.54	4,150	5.94
Madison	Madison Library	1,812	\$27,382	0.77	1,508	\$26,753	\$14.76	12,264	6.77
Moultonborough	Moultonborough Public Lib	3,198	\$106,555	2.85	1,508	\$111,591	\$34.89	51,725	19.30
Ossipee	Ossipee Public Library	3,344	\$73,697	2.05	1,560	\$63,338	\$18.94	17,624	5.27
Sandwich	Samuel H Wentworth Lib	1,129	\$47,242	1.62	1,300	\$47,975	\$42.49	20,466	18.13
Tamworth		2,233					\$31.10		7.13
	Chocorua Public Library		\$37,398	0.60	624	\$24,727		2,540	
	Cook Memorial Library		\$46,430	1.42	936	\$44,735		13,382	
Tuftonboro	Tuftonboro Free Library	1,903	\$68,149	2.03	1,496	\$50,901	\$26.75	18,134	9.53
Wakefield		3,191					\$11.01		4.77
	Gafney Library, Inc.*		\$51,012	1.22	1,144	\$30,041		14,267	
	Union Village Library		No Report Received						
	Wakefield Library Assoc.		\$8,389	0.07	192	\$5,124		958	
Wolfeboro	Wolfeboro Public Library	5,143	\$244,414	5.27	2,698	\$232,439	\$45.19	101,039	19.64
Total		35,455	\$1,029,217	28.58		\$954,627	\$25.17	360,810	9.79

*Conway serves, by contract, the towns of Albany and Eaton; population reflects this.

*Gafney Library serves, by contract, the town of Brookfield; population reflects this.

CHESHIRE COUNTY

Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Alstead	Shedd-Porter Library	1,763	\$54,786	0.77	936	\$51,832	\$29.40	12,458	7.07
Chesterfield	Chesterfield Public Library	3,293	\$47,773	2.12	1,314	\$45,963	\$11.37	10,014	3.04
Dublin	Dublin Public Library	1,533	\$34,951	0.87	1,300	\$29,706	\$19.38	5,113	19.38
Fitzwilliam	Fitzwilliam Town Library	2,048	\$75,388	1.31	1,144	\$62,434	\$30.48	19,677	9.61
Gilsum	Gilsum Public Library	752	\$7,545	0.35	624	\$7,521	\$10.00	3,793	5.04
Harrisville	Harrisville Public Library	1,016	No Report	Received					
Hinsdale	Hinsdale Public Library	4,046	\$25,656	0.86	1,050	\$17,573	\$4.34	6,733	1.66
Jaffrey	Jaffrey Public Library	5,447	\$148,245	4.87	1,950	\$148,245	\$27.22	37,467	6.88
Keene	Keene Public Library	23,045	\$711,718	16.40	3,276	\$710,220	\$30.82	222,705	9.66
Marlborough	Frost Free Library	2,051	\$62,770	1.96	1,456	\$66,072	\$32.21	13,715	32.21
Marlow	Marlow Town Library	665	\$13,796	0.35	624	\$10,353	\$15.57	4,093	6.15
Nelson	Olivia Rodham Mem Lib	570	\$15,716	0.67	780	\$12,923	\$22.67	3,376	5.92
Richmond	Richmond Public Library	951	\$30,390	0.45	520	\$15,940	\$16.76	5,330	5.60
Rindge	Ingalls Mem Library	5,255	\$64,895	2.77	1,541	\$66,542	\$12.66	32,375	6.16
Stoddard	Davis Public Library	646	No Report	Received					
Sullivan	Sullivan Public Library	716	\$9,800	0.38	774	\$8,943	\$12.49	2,480	3.46
Surry	Reed Free Library	697	\$9,188	13.15	520	\$8,136	\$11.67	1,007	1.44
Swanzey		6,660					\$5.49		
	Mt. Caesar Union Library		\$41,140	1.07	1,716	\$36,575			
	Stratton Free Library		No Report	Received					
Troy	Gay-Kimball Library	2,137	\$52,408	1.42	1,144	\$52,193	\$24.42	20,842	9.75
Walpole*	Walpole Town Library	3,341	\$64,098	2.10	1,639	\$59,018	\$17.66	19,739	5.91
Westmoreland	Westmoreland Public Lib	1,680	\$17,766	0.77	1,106	\$16,984	\$10.11	4,638	10.11
Winchester		4,201					\$16.61		8.35
	Conant Public Library		\$73,017	2.50	1,560	\$69,788		35,077	
	Thayer Library		No Report	Received					
Total		72,513	\$1,561,046	55.14		\$1,496,961	\$17.57	460,632	8.28

*Includes North Walpole Branch Library.

COOS COUNTY

Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Berlin	Berlin Public Library	11,928	\$155,545	3.95	2,726	\$158,070	\$13.25	77,815	6.52
Colebrook*	Colebrook Public Library	2,594	\$78,909	2.71	1,248	\$62,957	\$24.27	30,910	11.91
Dalton	Dalton Public Library	855	No Report Received						
Dummer	Dummer Public Library	328	\$811	0.06	96	\$808	\$2.46	200	0.61
Errol	Errol Public Library	299	\$25,966	0.45	832	\$7,112	\$23.78	11,315	37.84
Gorham	Gorham Public Library	3,097	\$69,388	1.38	2,080	\$43,815	\$14.15	15,946	5.15
Groveton	Northumberland Public Lib	2,625	\$26,212	2.05	1,612	\$37,912	\$14.44	10,626	4.05
Jefferson	Jefferson Public Library	1,007	\$9,773	0.30	612	\$7,837	\$7.78	1,105	1.10
Lancaster	William D Weeks Mem Lib	3,526	\$74,024	2.28	1,742	\$74,023	\$20.99	42,585	12.08
Milan ¹	Milan Public Library	1,338	\$9,028	0.42	884	\$7,700	\$5.75	1,104	0.82
Pittsburg	Bremer Pond Mem Library	911	No Report Received						
Randolph**	Randolph Public Library	382	\$4,599	0.45	88	\$3,933	\$10.29	912	2.39
Shelburne	Shelburne Public Library	435	\$1,156	0.17	200	\$1,234	\$2.84	851	1.96
Stark	Stark Public Library	524	No Report Received						
Stewartstown	Dennis Joos Memorial Lib	1,103	\$4,150	0.20	400	\$3,029	\$2.75	1,111	1.01
Stratford		971							0.16
	Laura Johnson Mem Lib		No Report Received						
	Stratford Public Library		\$2,315	6.20	208			161	
Twin Mountain	Twin Mtn Public Library	603	\$5,648	0.45	574	\$5,403	\$8.96	3,685	6.11
Whitefield	Whitefield Public Library	1,966	\$26,687	0.55	1,144	\$21,580	\$10.98	13,915	7.08
Total		34,492	\$494,211	21.62		\$435,413	\$11.64	212,241	7.06

*Colebrook serves Clarksville and Columbia (plus Lemington, VT).

**Randolph library only open July and August (figures for that period only).

GRAFTON COUNTY

Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Alexandria	Haynes Memorial Library	1,309	\$2,600	0.12	200	\$2,312	\$1.77	1,064	0.81
Ashland	Ashland Public Library	2,022	\$38,960	1.32	1,144	\$34,881	\$17.25	5,703	2.82
Bath	Bath Public Library	816	\$10,581	0.45	780	\$10,229	\$12.53	2,931	3.59
Bethlehem	Bethlehem Public Library	2,130	\$25,137	1.00	1,196	\$29,792	\$13.99	12,778	6.00
Bridgewater	Bridgewater Public Library	821	\$635	0.10	138	\$309	\$0.38	297	0.36
Bristol	Minot-Sleeper Library	2,634	\$41,696	1.10	1,456	\$36,578	\$13.89	18,065	6.86
Campton	Campton Public Library	2,456	\$18,573	0.90	1,560	\$15,400	\$6.27	2,425	0.99
Canaan	Canaan Town Library	3,268	\$72,736	2.03	1,300	\$72,736	\$22.26	34,854	10.66
Dorchester ²	Dorchester Public Library	388	\$301	2.90	126	\$3,854	\$9.93	148	0.38
Easton	Easton Free Library	230	No Report Received						
Enfield	Enfield Public Library	4,202	\$77,843	1.75	1,716	\$76,823	\$18.28	28,036	6.67
Franconia	Abbie Greenleaf Library	855	\$56,845	1.72	1,118	\$54,064	\$63.23	21,486	25.13
Grafton	Grafton Public Library	961	\$5,308	0.16	2,340	\$5,938	\$6.18	2,868	2.98
Groton	Groton Public Library	334	\$1,500	0.10	144	\$2,535	\$7.59	223	0.67
Hanover		9,456					\$66.19		22.45
	Hanover Town Library		\$30,785	0.62	1,014	\$40,570		5,103	
	Howe Library		\$990,076	13.71	2,912	\$585,299		206,256	
Haverhill		4,192					\$15.36		7.79
	Haverhill Lib Association		\$17,282	0.92	520	\$18,342		7,401	
	Patten-North Haverhill Lib		\$12,950	0.95	364	\$12,300		10,563	
	Pike Library		\$6,127	0.07	156	\$8,978		465	
	Woodsville Free Library		\$20,539	0.75	1,092	\$24,826		14,231	
Hebron	Hebron Public Library	414	\$3,057	0.30	338	\$4,961	\$11.98	3,700	8.94
Holderness	Holderness Free Library	1,726	\$28,954	1.24	1,256	\$28,929	\$16.76	13,270	7.69
Lebanon*	Lebanon Public Library	12,673	\$379,421	10.29	4,285	\$361,371	\$28.51	104,244	8.22
Lincoln	Lincoln Public Library	1,361	\$47,895	1.47	1,768	\$47,176	\$34.66	13,281	9.76
Lisbon**	Lisbon Public Library	1,747	\$30,443	1.12	1,248	\$27,042	\$15.48	16,604	9.50
Littleton	Littleton Public Library	6,061	No Report Received						
Lyme	Converse Free Library	1,537	\$68,536	2.34	2,080	\$64,725	\$42.11	20,168	13.12
Monroe	Monroe Public Library	758	\$27,904	1.30	624	\$26,828	\$35.39	18,060	23.82
Sub-Total		62,351	\$2,016,684	48.73		\$1,596,798		564,224	

²Town voted to discontinue library on March 10, 1998.

*Lebanon includes West Lebanon branch.

**Lisbon serves Landaff and Lyman by contract.

GRAFTON COUNTY

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Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Orford		1,043					\$28.69		8.37
	Orford Free Library		\$6,825	0.43	676	\$6,103		1,969	
	Orford Social Library		\$25,543	0.76	780	\$23,818		6,760	
Piermont	Piermont Public Library	650	\$24,700	1.00	936	\$20,861	\$32.09	8,855	13.62
Plymouth	Pease Public Library	6,004	\$103,582	3.67	2,062	\$99,939	\$16.65	51,877	8.64
Rumney	Byron G Merrill Library	1,445	\$20,354	0.67	624	\$15,337	\$10.61	10,833	7.50
Sugar Hill	Richardson Memorial Lib	490	No Report Received						
Thornton	Thornton Public Library	1,587	\$27,496	1.52	1,762	\$26,029	\$16.40	8,012	5.05
Warren	Joseph Patch Library	832	\$12,498	0.25	500	\$9,873	\$11.87	4,200	5.05
Waterville Valley	Osceola Library	204	\$6,094	0.50	376	\$4,449	\$21.81	2,451	12.01
Wentworth	Webster Memorial Lib	664	\$14,287	0.42	520	\$11,716	\$17.64	7,025	10.58
Woodstock	Moosilauke Library	1,257	\$33,491	1.17	1,564	\$33,491	\$26.64	2,865	2.28
Total		76,527	\$2,291,554	59.12		\$1,848,414	\$20.72	669,071	8.14

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY

Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Amherst	Amherst Town Library	10,059	\$342,316	8.43	3,146	\$342,887	\$34.09	140,496	13.97
Antrim	James A Tuttle Library	2,382	\$59,994	2.32	1,144	\$58,991	\$24.76	20,698	8.69
Bedford	Bedford Public Library	15,264	\$387,501	3.80	3,220	\$387,491	\$25.38	159,924	10.48
Bennington	G E P Dodge Library	1,273	\$40,318	1.18	1,248	\$43,166	\$33.91	16,848	13.23
Brookline	Brookline Public Library	3,300	\$72,768	2.30	1,560	\$69,848	\$21.17	32,896	9.97
Deering	Deering Public Library	1,766	No Report Received						
Fracestown	George H Bixby Mem Lib	1,248	\$49,374	1.32	1,352	\$44,945	\$36.01	16,372	13.12
Goffstown	Goffstown Public Library	15,735	\$278,595	7.97	3,654	\$281,431	\$17.88	39106	2.48
Greenfield	Stephenson Memorial Lib	1,512	\$26,886	0.88	1,100	\$24,986	\$16.52	6,532	4.32
Greenville	Chamberlin Public Lib	2,220	\$74,852	1.91	1,586	\$70,731	\$31.86	14,318	6.45
Hancock	Hancock Town Library	1,648	\$50,917	1.97	1,248	\$49,793	\$30.21	27,030	16.40
Hillsboro*	Fuller Public Library	4,650	\$94,315	2.67	1,820	\$81,466	\$17.52	36,532	7.86
Hollis	Hollis Social Library	6,643	\$121,175	3.03	2,002	\$120,405	\$18.12	45,842	6.90
Hudson**	Hills Memorial Library	21,480	\$487,484	13.15	4,292	\$465,371	\$21.66	128,760	5.99
Litchfield	Aaron Cutler Mem Lib	6,692	\$65,972	1.45	1,872	\$53,758	\$8.03	32,400	4.84
Lyndeborough	J A Tarbell Library	1,450	\$21,156	0.57	1,040	\$16,159	\$11.14	6,760	4.66
Manchester**	Manchester City Library	103,330	\$1,474,378	82.62	5,456	\$1,564,290	\$15.14	434,641	4.21
Mason	Mason Public Library	1,283	\$25,140	1.17	1,273	\$24,058	\$18.75	8,890	6.93
Merrimack	Merrimack Public Lib	23,611	\$719,860	16.57	3,350	\$712,017	\$30.16	247,341	10.47
Millford	Wadleigh Memorial Lib	12,733	\$435,798	9.35	2,019	\$501,654	\$39.40	167,274	13.14
Mont Vernon	Daland Memorial Lib	1,989	\$43,795	1.46	1,581	\$39,494	\$19.86	12,727	6.40
Nashua**	Nashua Public Library	82,810	\$1,681,002	46.27	3,770	\$1,568,119	\$18.94	520,763	6.29
New Boston	Whipple Free Library	3,684	\$83,544	2.43	1,820	\$79,568	\$21.60	31,552	8.56
New Ipswich	New Ipswich Library	4,267	\$29,875	1.14	1,172	\$29,875	\$7.00	15,812	3.70
Sub-Total		331,029	\$6,667,015	213.96		\$6,630,503		2,163,514	

*Hillsboro serves Windsor by contract.

**Includes branches and/or bookmobiles.

HILLSBOROUGH COUNTY

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Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Pelham	Pelham Public Library	10,635	\$189,106	4.12	2,252	\$142,130	\$13.36	26,959	2.53
Peterborough***	Peterborough Town Lib	5,679	\$256,253	6.17	2,570	\$318,476	\$56.08	94,224	16.59
Temple	Mansfield Public Library	1,251	\$9,131	0.60	1,123	\$20,560	\$16.43	8,609	6.88
Weare	Weare Public Library	6,815	\$101,010	3.27	1,976	\$97,642	\$14.32	35,825	5.26
Wilton	Wilton Pub/Gregg Free Lib	3,288	\$78,016	2.72	1,560	\$106,147	\$32.28	30,113	9.16
Total		358,697	\$7,300,531	230.84		\$7,315,458	\$23.27	2,359,244	8.19

***Peterborough serves Sharon by contract.

MERRIMACK COUNTY

Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Allenstown	Allenstown Public Library	4,823	\$36,204	0.87	1,716	\$33,691	\$6.98	5,102	1.06
Andover*	Andover Public Library	1,975	\$32,646	0.82	1,144	\$26,229	\$13.28	8,356	4.23
Boscawen*	Boscawen Public Library	3,616	\$21,939	0.77	884	\$15,625	\$4.32	7,448	2.06
Bow	Baker Free Library	6,406	\$176,826	4.82	2,164	\$169,601	\$26.48	57,696	9.01
Bradford	Brown Memorial Library	1,420	\$31,279	1.13	1,144	\$27,237	\$19.18	11,307	7.96
Canterbury	Elkins Library	1,800	\$35,437	1.01	1,300	\$25,402	\$14.11	14,378	7.99
Chichester	Chichester Public Library	2,072	\$19,377	1.22	1,404	\$21,654	\$10.45	17,399	8.40
Concord*	Concord Public Library	37,925	\$1,192,910	26.12	4,164	\$1,192,910	\$31.45	341,471	9.00
Danbury	George Gamble Library	945	\$5,726	0.12	264	\$4,899	\$5.18	3,153	3.34
Dunbarton	Dunbarton Public Library	2,007	\$50,742	1.42	1,248	\$43,168	\$21.51	8,413	4.19
Epsom	Epsom Public Library	3,866	\$38,648	1.39	2,142	\$37,312	\$9.65	14,689	3.80
Franklin	Franklin Public Library	8,411	\$189,732	5.25	2,728	\$184,748	\$21.96	70,191	8.34
Henniker	Tucker Free Library	4,122	\$108,105	2.90	1,872	\$108,105	\$26.23	39,464	9.57
Hill	Hill Public Library	866	\$8,119	0.47	540	\$5,025	\$5.80	1,883	2.17
Hooksett	Hooksett Public Library	9,571	\$227,881	4.25	3,056	\$202,379	\$21.14	70,273	7.34
Hopkinton	Bates Library	5,014	\$102,152	3.09	2,124	\$107,223	\$21.38	35,774	7.13
Loudon	Maxfield Library	4,504	\$86,116	2.26	1,924	\$73,143	\$16.24	26,878	5.97
New London	Tracy Memorial Library	3,641	\$248,839	7.65	2,184	\$234,063	\$64.28	120,479	33.09
Newbury	Newbury Public Library	1,595	\$20,150	0.60	1,092	\$17,988	\$11.28	5,311	3.33
Northfield**	Hall Memorial Library	7,817	\$81,137	2.32	2,604	\$78,933	\$10.10	33,936	4.34
Pembroke	Pembroke Town Library	6,724	\$61,318	1.85	1,768	\$62,218	\$9.25	29,108	4.33
Pittsfield	Carpenter Memorial Lib	3,930	\$40,125	1.07	1,404	\$29,074	\$7.40	13,430	3.42
Salisbury	Salisbury Free Library	1,125	\$13,222	0.37	624	\$11,659	\$10.36	4,189	3.72
Sutton	Sutton Free Library	1,489	No Report Received						
Warner	Pillsbury Free Library	2,460	\$74,041	2.18	1,304	\$67,322	\$27.37	18,320	7.45
Webster	Webster Free Public Lib	1,478	\$21,719	0.55	1,096	\$19,509	\$13.20	9,684	6.55
Wilmot	Wilmot Public Library	998	\$17,800	0.52	962	\$14,674	\$14.70	4,689	4.70
Total		130,600	\$2,942,190	75.02		\$2,813,791	\$17.05	973,021	6.63

*Includes branch library.

**Library is supported by and serves also Tilton; combined population shown.

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Atkinson	Kimball Public Library	5,997	\$138,932	4.42	2,236	\$137,735	\$22.97	67,951	11.33
Auburn	Griffin Free Public Library	4,488	\$36,854	1.17	1,664	\$30,517	\$6.80	13,023	2.90
Brentwood	Mary E Bartlett Mem Lib	2,965	\$50,128	1.88	1,768	\$48,802	\$16.46	22,142	7.47
Candia	Smyth Public Library	3,753	\$59,677	1.54	1,736	\$64,656	\$17.23	23,915	6.37
Chester	Chester Public Library	3,234	\$79,841	2.67	1,924	\$74,732	\$23.11	56,325	17.42
Danville	Colby Memorial Library	3,388	\$31,211	1.22	1,378	\$32,542	\$9.61	13,404	3.96
Deerfield	Philbrick-James Library	3,397	\$34,975	0.90	1,664	\$30,804	\$9.07	14,255	4.20
Derry		32,019					\$23.46		6.62
	Derry Public Library		\$657,089	15.01	2,947	\$657,088		185,768	
	Taylor Library		\$92,866	2.53	1,820	\$94,032		26,385	
East Kingston	East Kingston Public Lib	1,634	\$24,619	0.90	1,456	\$25,546	\$15.63	10,699	6.55
Epping	Harvey-Mitchell Mem Lib	5,529	\$61,683	1.87	2,392	\$55,233	\$9.99	15,616	2.82
Exeter	Exeter Public Library	13,019	\$441,717	11.07	2,600	\$441,600	\$33.92	295,702	22.71
Fremont	Fremont Public Library	3,127	\$14,926	0.37	616	\$12,424	\$3.97	4,453	1.42
Greenland	Weeks Library	3,045	\$73,831	2.07	1,671	\$73,158	\$24.02	19,163	6.29
Hampstead	Hampstead Public Library	7,499	\$185,266	4.12	2,392	\$174,147	\$23.22	67,074	8.94
Hampton	Lane Memorial Library	13,153	\$565,339	10.27	3,120	\$522,624	\$39.73	164,784	12.53
Hampton Falls	Hampton Falls Free Pub Lib	1,749	\$45,801	1.35	1,144	\$42,219	\$24.14	13,590	7.77
Kensington	Kensington Social/Public Lib	1,753	\$45,423	1.14	1,196	\$44,830	\$25.57	10,331	5.89
Kingston	Nichols Memorial Library	5,837	\$92,925	3.00	2,136	\$88,130	\$15.10	48,144	8.08
Londonderry	Leach Library	21,529	\$466,037	10.50	2,848	\$467,010	\$21.69	132,214	6.14
New Castle	New Castle Public Library	892	\$32,760	1.75	1,068	\$31,153	\$34.92	16,000	17.94
Newfields	Paul Memorial Library	1,265	\$11,760	0.27	520	\$11,016	\$8.71	5,246	4.15
Newington	Langdon Library	778	\$31,764	0.55	1,144	\$28,696	\$36.88	4,485	5.76
Newmarket	Newmarket Public Library	7,625	\$108,540	2.92	2,028	\$103,379	\$13.56	24,559	3.22
Newton	Gale Library	3,761	\$77,650	1.95	1,588	\$71,601	\$19.04	24,000	6.38
North Hampton	North Hampton Public Lib	3,978	\$160,181	3.99	2,340	\$140,532	\$35.33	37,511	9.43
Northwood	Chesley Memorial Library	3,242	\$76,155	1.95	1,560	\$72,612	\$22.40	26,855	8.28
Nottingham	Blaisdell Memorial Library	3,191	\$45,354	1.56	2,132	\$48,176	\$15.10	17,222	5.40
Plaistow	Plaistow Public Library	7,812	\$170,048	3.96	3,068	\$162,789	\$20.84	53,850	6.89
Portsmouth	Portsmouth Public Library	22,873	\$1,017,967	19.47	3,354	\$983,450	\$42.90	282,141	12.31
Sub-Total		192,532	\$4,931,319	116.37		\$4,771,233		1,696,807	

ROCKINGHAM COUNTY

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Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Raymond	Dudley-Tucker Library	9,196	\$117,942	3.62	1,852	\$121,264	\$13.19	52,872	5.75
Rye	Rye Public Library	4,693	\$275,424	6.30	2,036	\$275,644	\$58.73	78,507	16.73
Salem	Kelley Library	27,378	\$1,001,820	17.94	3,536	\$987,926	\$36.08	252,080	9.21
Sandown	Sandown Public Library	4,723	\$71,452	1.95	1,612	\$52,135	\$11.04	28,637	6.06
Seabrook	Brown Library	6,731	\$319,724	5.00	2,176	\$313,238	\$46.54	31,569	4.69
South Hampton	South Hampton Public Lib	789	\$20,573	0.75	1,040	\$15,424	\$19.55	2,749	3.48
Stratham	Wiggin Memorial Library	5,748	\$125,543	4.27	2,444	\$125,267	\$21.79	84,835	14.76
Windham	Nesmith Library	9,844	\$259,168	5.37	2,880	\$286,568	\$29.11	87,771	8.92
Total		261,634	\$7,122,965	161.57		\$6,948,699	\$23.01	2,315,827	8.07

STRAFFORD COUNTY

Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Barrington	Barrington Public Library	6,788	\$69,929	2.65	1,802	\$65,741	\$9.68	19,828	2.92
Dover	Dover Public Library	26,323	\$671,172	15.37	2,943	\$656,301	\$24.93	273,922	10.41
Durham	Durham Public Library	12,873	No Report Received						
Farmington	Goodwin Library	5,974	\$93,880	2.32	1,664	\$93,880	\$15.71	22,625	3.79
Lee	Lee Public Library	4,050	\$68,790	1.22	2,132	\$68,417	\$16.89	99,080	24.46
Milton		3,777					\$15.68		5.81
	Milton Free Public Library		\$13,259	0.67	529	\$12,600		3,742	
	Nute Library		\$47,372	1.53	1,898	\$46,652		18,201	
New Durham	New Durham Public Lib	2,047	\$38,512	1.34	1,690	\$37,827	\$18.48	7,521	3.67
Rochester		27,669					\$17.27		5.00
	East Rochester Public Lib		\$3,555	0.97	352	\$3,328		783	
	Rochester Public Library		\$474,416	12.79	2,786	\$474,416		137,568	
Somersworth	Somersworth Public Lib	11,641	\$187,413	4.77	2,990	\$186,324	\$16.00	65,057	5.59
Strafford	Hill Library	3,261	\$15,254	0.87	1,612	\$22,321	\$6.84	14,450	4.43
Total		104,403	\$1,683,552	44.50		\$1,667,807	\$15.72	662,777	7.34

SULLIVAN COUNTY

Town	Library	Population	Income	Paid Staff	Hours Open per year	Expenditures	Per Capita	Circulation	Per Capita
Acworth	Acworth Silsby Lib	779	\$22,086	0.54	780	\$14,114	\$18.12	3,479	4.46
Charlestown	Silsby Free Public Lib	4,751	\$64,983	2.77	1,636	\$54,031	\$11.37	21,000	4.42
Claremont	Fiske Free Library	13,850	\$285,657	8.25	2,754	\$306,207	\$22.11	118,844	8.58
Cornish	George H Stowell Lib	1,674	\$11,851	0.48	644	\$11,260	\$6.73	4,647	2.77
Goshen	Olive G Pettis Library	781	\$12,736	0.32	676	\$5,269	\$6.75	736	0.94
Grantham	Dunbar Free Library	1,387	\$128,810	2.25	1,638	\$58,901	\$42.47	25,343	18.27
Lempster	Miner Memorial Library	1,025	\$7,797	0.25	505	\$6,680	\$6.52	2,800	2.73
Newport	Richards Free Library	6,249	\$173,136	4.47	2,340	\$174,374	\$27.90	50,615	8.10
Plainfield		2,195					\$22.62		2.41
	Meriden Public Library		\$22,286	0.50	936	\$22,096		4,284	
	Philip A Read Mem Lib		\$27,522	0.75	780	\$27,556		10,703	
Springfield	Libbie A Cass Mem Lib	875	\$9,178	0.85	716	\$6,811	\$7.74	3,293	3.76
Sunapee	Abbott Library	2,671	\$100,190	2.65	2,028	\$999,777	\$37.43	40,499	15.16
Unity	Unity Free Public Lib	1,435	\$5,507	0.50	612	\$5,728	\$3.99	975	0.68
Washington	Shedd Free Library	746	\$16,336	0.70	728	\$12,398	\$16.62	6,196	8.30
Total		38,418	\$888,075	25.28		\$1,705,202	\$17.72	293,414	6.20